

The Plattsmouth Weekly Herald JAS. E. KNOTTS, Reporter.

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—H. C. Ritchie was in Lincoln last week on business connected with the Cass county fair. —Bert Sage returned from Omaha Tuesday evening, where he has been putting in a new set of files for the B. & M. —The race for the silver trumpet Tuesday evening resulted in favor of the F. E. White company, their time being 23 seconds. The F. M. Richey team made the run and connections in 22 1/2 seconds. The other teams made failures. —We have a large quantity of brick for sale, quality guaranteed. Give us a call. 22-tf Kurtz & Weckbach. —The beautiful opera Lalla was presented last evening and the evening before at Waterman's opera house to an enthusiastic audience. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Y. L. R. R. A. but was under the direct management of Miss Birdie Oneal, assisted by her sister Blanche. The competency of Miss Oneal to prepare and present a first-class entertainment from home talent was made grandly apparent from every feature of the entertainment. The rendering of "Kittie Clyde" by little Miss Tillie Weckbach was an especially charming feature of the entertainment and called forth tremendous applause in encore, and Miss Oneal's selections were excellent. —"Scarlet Fever" Having appeared in our village Darby's Prophylactic Fluid was used for disinfecting the College buildings. The disease never went beyond a single case, either in the College or elsewhere, where the Fluid was used.—REV. PRES. G. F. PRICE, Auburn, Ala. Darby's Fluid dispels all forms of epidemic diseases by destroying the spores that cause contagion. —Excursion of B. of L. F. The excursion train of the B. of L. F., consisting of four coaches and a beautifully decorated engine, left Plattsmouth with about one hundred pleasure seekers shortly before 8 a. m., Saturday. The route of the train was to Omaha, thence to Lincoln and on to Milford. The party on its arrival at Milford numbered about 150, having been increased on the way. At first the prospects for the day were gloomy, the rain having just ceased falling. But the sky soon cleared and the excursionists took passage on boats and were soon landed on Shogo island, the point of their destination, which is a very pretty place in the Blue river. Here the day was spent in games, dancing and boating. At 7 o'clock the pleasure-seekers were "all aboard" and the train started on its return. The homeward trip was not, however, so pleasant as the morning one. The parties were tired from their day's rustication and the rain poured in torrents the latter half of the journey. But the most disagreeable part of all was their having to wait and switch around at almost every station, and on this account the train was delayed two hours, arriving in Plattsmouth at midnight. Notwithstanding the long homeward ride, a very pleasant day is reported. The train was under the management of Conductor Ballinger, Engineer C. Z. Simpson and Fireman James McLaren. —Itch, Prairie Mange, and Scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes, by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Warranted by F. G. Fricke & Co., druggists, Plattsmouth, Nebraska. 84-1yr —List of Letters. Remaining unclaimed, in the Postoffice at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Aug. 24, 1887, for the week ending Aug. 13. Arnold, J. B. (2) A. Morse, Mrs. Minnie, Allen, George, Barnett, B. P. Cushman, C. L. Conklin, J. B. Enry or Enry, J. D. Enry, Dr. William G. Dickinson, Miss Lizzie, Ellis, Frank, Gillmore, J. H. Hamann, Mrs. A. J. Kelley, Levi, Kinney, John E. Kestley, Miss Cynthia, Lucas, Charles, Melisjeohn, George, Moser, M. W. Martin, Mrs. Ella, Morgan, Hilbert F. Myers, David, O'Neil, George. (2) Patrick, Miss Minnie, Peterson, L. J. Plattsmouth Free Press Co., Fate, Annie, Scott, W. H. Sampson, A. Still, Guss. Tanager, Mrs. E. A. Weber, John. Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised." J. N. WISS, P. M. —Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an order of sale issued by W. C. Showalter, Clerk of the District Court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1887, at 1 o'clock P. M., of said day at the south door of the Court House in said county, sell at public auction the following real estate to-wit: The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (a 1/4 of s 1/4) and the south half (1/2) of the southwest quarter of section number five (5) Township number ten (10) north of range No. fourteen (14) in Cass county, Nebraska, unto being of or in any way appertaining thereto. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of John C. Baker, Defendant; to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by A. E. Alexander, Plaintiff, against said Defendant. Plattsmouth, Neb., August 24th A. D. 1887. J. C. Eikenbary, Sheriff Cass County, Neb. 23-6t —Legal Notice. STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss, Cass County. In County Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Decker, Deceased: Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of August, A. D. 1887, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the County Judge's office, in Plattsmouth, in said County, the petition asking for the appointment of Frederick S. Van Alstyne, Administrator of said estate, will be heard and considered; at which time and place all persons interested may appear and show cause why they have, why he should not be appointed as such Administrator. Dated this 6th day of August, A. D. 1887. C. RUSSELL, County Judge. 21-3

To Nebraska Ex-Soldiers. To all ex-soldiers of Nebraska: We hope that each and every one will try and meet at the camping re-union at Omaha, and will try and be in camp on Tuesday, Sept. 6th. Comrades let us try and get as many in line as possible. We wish to make arrangements for a grand old re-union of all Nebraska men, at as early a day as possible. Comrades, you all want a few days rest and recreation, and now is the time to take it. Farmers, turn your horses into the pasture. Mechanics and merchants shut up your shops. Lawyers and agents, give your clients a few days rest, leave all cares at home and come up to the re-union and talk over old times and compare notes with the "old boys," and we will guarantee that you will never miss the time, but it will be a time ever to be remembered by you. Bring your wives and families with you and let us have a camp meeting of our own. THOS. J. MAJORS, President. H. C. McMAKEN, Sec'y Nebraska Soldiers' Association. Exchanges please copy. —Tomatoes, Tomatoes! Wanted at Frank Carruth & Co. canning factory on Main street. Farmers having a few extra bushels will get the highest market price. 22-3t —She Wanted a Man and Got One. Savannah News: Jackson Palmer and Ella Anderson, a colored couple, marched into Justice Russell's office last evening, the damsel leading the sheepish looking Jackson by the hand. Approaching the rather bewildered justice she produced an official looking paper which proved to be a marriage license, and thrusting it into his hands began chewing her apron strings as she said: "Mister, I've been mity lonesum dis las' yeah, and I've wanted a man a heap. I dun cotched dis heah darkey, and we's gwine to get married. Dis is de fust time dat I eber cum to sich a place as dis here, and we wants you to fix the ratifications." Justice Russell's eyes opened wide, but he took in the situation, and with the best grace imaginable he performed the ceremony, after which the smiling couple walked down the street, hand in hand, each casting terrible big sheep's eyes at the other. —A Bargain. The N. E. 1/4 and W. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 Sec. 34 T. 11 R. 12. This beautiful farm if purchased soon, can be had for \$90 per acre. Every convenience. Apply to R. B. WINDHAM, Plattsmouth, Neb. 11-22 —NEBRASKA NEWS. Ashland is on the water works list. Rushville reports crops looking well. David City is to have Water Works. Falls City is having a raid from burglars. Long Pine carried the day in favor of water works. Hastings is to have free mail service by the first of Sept. The York County Teacher's Institute is in session at York. Gov. Thayer visited the G. A. R. at York and made a speech. Norden reports the corn average to be 56% better than last year. The Holt county prohibitionists have a full ticket in the field. Custer county reports she will yield 35 to 40 bushels of corn per acre. A jury has finally been secured at Loup City in the trial of Richardson. The republican county convention at Wahoo meets Sept. 24. Charley Parker, who robbed paymaster Bash, is to be removed to Omaha. The ballot box of Creighton was stuffed on the vote of the county seat election. Sneak thieves at Wahoo, got away with \$40 from the till of Jones Bros. Coal dealers. Blue Springs and Wymore are to have a system of water works, paying for it jointly. The trial of Richardson at Loup City for the murder Editor Bennett is in progress. Broken Bow reports, say corn will grow from 50 to 60 bushels per acre in that neighborhood. The M. E. Church at Columbus was struck by lightning and damaged to the amount of \$200. The prohibitionists have held their convention at Fullerton, nominating a full county ticket. The Blair canning company employ about 266 persons, and put up 23,472 cans of corn in one day. Extensive preparations are being made at Norfolk for the soldiers' re-union which opens Tuesday. A one-legged soldier named Crabtree shot four times at C. Cooney, at Fullerton, but missed him. Crabtree was placed under \$500 bonds. A cyclone struck Republican City from the north, doing great damage and killing one man and injuring several others. Falls City and vicinity was visited by a heavy hail storm which destroyed most all the fruit and did great damage to corn. Jerry White, a negro who made an infamous assault upon a lady at Valentine, was taken from the jail and hanged by a mob.

The Republican County Central Committee, in their meeting at Lincoln decided to hold the county convention Sept. 3. Walter Margritz, a 10-year-old boy was dragged to death at Stuart by a cow. He was leading her and had tied the rope about his body. The county seat election votes between Nobriary, Creighton and Verdigris were counted fraudulently and the case will go to the courts. News from Indianola says that place and vicinity was visited, the first of the week, by a terrific rain and hail storm, doing considerable damage. The body of a boy, supposed to be that of Harry Bokemper, who disappeared from Omaha last week, was taken from the river near Nebraska City. Near Friend, the lightning struck a barn, burning the building and contents and struck a woman, Mrs. Becker, burning her clothes off. She is not expected to live. At a meeting of the Irish national league, at Lincoln Monday, resolutions were adopted denouncing the proclamation of the league by the English government. At a Bohemian Sunday picnic and dance near Exeter, two brothers, Frank and John Newer were shot and instantly killed by Thomas Rook. The men were excited with beer. The state prohibition convention at Lincoln adopted their platform, nominated a full state ticket and took a collection of over \$100 for the Home of the Friendless in Lincoln. The drawing of the jury in the trial of B. L. Richardson for the murder of Skip Willard, of Loup City, has been taken out of the hands of the sheriff and given to Justice G. W. Hunter. Monday morning William McQuay, section boss, was found on the track near Indianola, in an unconscious condition and with several scalp wounds. It is believed to be a case of foul play. An old man named Masterman was chloroformed while at sleep and robbed of his money and valuables, at Lincoln. It is thought by the attending physician, that he may die from the effects of the chloroform. A son of William Napier, near Bellwood, was riding when the horse threw him. The boy's foot caught in the stirrup and he was dragged half a mile, tearing the scalp almost entirely from his head. He is hardly expected to live. Jim Harris, alias Chas. Parker, has been arrested by the sheriff of Logan county on suspicion of being the man who robbed Paymaster Bash at Antelope Springs, Wyo., last March. Marshall Pines, of Kearney, has also arrested one Bagdoll, for the same crime, and turned him over to the sheriff of Dawson Co. Reports from North Platte, Neb., give full particulars of the arrest of Parker, the man who robbed Paymaster Bash. Sheriff Doane effected the arrest at a livery stable at Gandy, by clinching with him and throwing him down, where, after a hard struggle bystanders disarmed him, he having cut one of the sheriff's hands badly and bitten his thumb very severely. Parker is now in jail at North Platte. —TELEGRAPHIC CONDENSATIONS. Continued from 1st page. A riot occurred in Sicily in which two government officials were killed. An unknown man was run over and killed by the cars at Laketon, Ind. The Bulgarian government has ordered 200,000 repeating rifles from an Austrian firm. A burglar was fatally shot while attempting an entrance into the post office at Black Lick, Pa. The leading English papers approve the government's course in proclaiming the Irish national league. Frank Lightfoot, who lives near Marion, Ind., shot and killed his mother, thinking she was a burglar. Gov. Adams raised the Colorado quarantaine against Illinois, cattle except those from Cook county. A engine ran off the track near Argentine, Mo., fatally injuring two, and injuring three other persons. Applications for the prepayment of interest on \$1,400,000 of bonds have been received by Secretary Fairchild. It is reported that all the European powers disapprove of Prince Ferdinand's occupancy of the Bulgarian throne. S. F. Barrett, of Houston, Texas, has completed the invention of a telephone which is an improvement on the Bell. John Laws, a desperado near St. Joseph, Mo., was shot and fatally injured while resisting arrest by a deputy-sheriff. Russia has proposed to Turkey that they accept eastern Roumelia and Bulgaria. Turkey wants the opinion of other powers. A collision between an engine and freight near Knoxville, Tenn., resulted in a badly wrecked train and one fatal and one serious injury. The Irish national league leaders are preparing to hold a grand demonstration to denounce the government's action in suppressing the league. Considerable difficulty has arisen between the Chatauqua managers and the cottage owners on the Chatauqua grounds in New York State. Express messenger, Bennett, has been arrested on suspicion of having stolen a package of \$10,000, on its way from Omaha to Butte City, Mont. Two men were killed and a boy fatally injured near Nashville, Tenn., while attempting to drive across the railroad track in front of a moving train. David Petrie, aged 17, fell under the wheels of a gravel train while attempting to step from one car to another, at Karrel, Ill., and was instantly killed.

The hail storm which passed over southwestern Nebraska and northeastern Kansas is said to have killed a great deal of live stock and ruined the crops. The state treasury of Indiana is empty and work will be suspended on all state institutions if the counties do not come to the front with funds to aid the state. A Mr. Beath, of Detroit Mich., took his family and some friends for a sail on Orchard lake. The boat capsized and about half the party would have been drowned but for the presence of mind of Miss Rebecca Beath, who swam about helping the drowning persons to the up-turned boat. As it was, all were saved. —MONDAY. Parker has been brought to Omaha. Lipski, the Jew to be hung in London, has confessed. The yellow fever is still prevalent at Key West, Fla. Prince Ferdinand has refused to hold an unofficial interview. The village of DeGraff, Logan county, Ohio, was almost destroyed by fire. Kansas crops in the region of Wichita are reported 50% better than last year. Corn near Red Oak, Iowa, is estimated to not run over 20 bushels to the acre. The Iowa state republican convention is expected to endorse Allison for President. Sioux City, Iowa, is to have a grand harvest jubilee October, 6th, 6th, 7th and 8th. The United States has ordered the release of Missionary Dean, who is under arrest on the Caroline Islands. The Irishmen of Liverpool held a meeting and protested against the proclamation of the Irish national league. The steamer Madrid which sailed May 5th for London via Bull River, South Carolina, is given up for lost. The racing yacht, Thistle, has been pronounced a fraud, her shape is similar to that of a mussel shell on edge. It is rumored the English government will postpone the discussion of the proclamation of the Irish national league. Dr. N. A. Archer, Prof. of hygiene in the University of Pennsylvania was drowned while bathing at Atlantic City, N. J. William G. Babcock, a wealthy Chicagoan, was shot at Garden, Ill., a day or two ago, and died yesterday without speaking a word. The New York jeweler who disappeared with other people's diamonds, writes from Canada that he will come back and straighten things up. F. A. Hoyt, cashier of the Putnam County Saving bank, of N. Y., is short \$24,370. Mr. Hoyt deeded all his property to the bank—enough to make the deficiency good. Harry T. Cook, discount clerk in the Columbia National bank, at Washington, forged notes, while his younger brother deposited them to the amount of \$2,024. They are under arrest. The statue of Quantroc, the last of the Aztec emperors, was unveiled at the City of Mexico. The unveiling was witnessed by thousands of Indians who brought great quantities of flowers. A story comes from Jackson county, Ga., in which a young man in one part of the county started to the home of his would-be future bride, and arrived just in time to attend her funeral. He was overcome with grief. Special from Winnipeg says that the contractors on the Red River Valley road put on a large force of men yesterday and rushed the grade through the land disputed by the Canadian Pacific in spite of the injunction. There is great rejoicing in Winnipeg. —TUESDAY. Emperor William is still improving. A lady 71 years old blew out the gas, in Chicago, on retiring. Two Russian families have been expelled from Germany. The Champion Machine company, of St. Joseph, Mo., has been attacked by the sheriff. Sheriff Kendall has gone up White river to arrest two Utes, H. T. and J. W. with him. Chicago sent the queen a special address, by Mr. Collier, which was personally accepted. Patrick Donohue and Peter Jay sat in a quarrel at Avon, Ill., and shot at Pete's nose off. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Huntington, and daughters Clara and C. D., have returned from their trip to Europe. C. E. Bartlett, cashier of the Sumner National bank, of Sumner, Chatauqua, has disappeared and is \$20,000 short. Miss Sarah H. Dodge was arrested at Gardner, Ill., on suspicion of being the person who shot Babcock, of Chicago. Two large barns of William Miles and son at Hastings, Minn., were struck by lightning and burned. Loss \$30,000. The czar of Russia has issued a circular denying the validity of the election of Prince Ferdinand to the Bulgarian throne. The confederate land holders in England are again at work. They say they intend to present a bill to the United States. Prince Ferdinand's proclamation is said to have been wrongly interpreted. He did not proclaim Bulgaria's political independence. Captain Bern, of the famed steamer City of Montreal, thinks the steamer was set on fire. One or two of the passengers have died from the effects of the night's exposure.

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